



## PRODUCER PROFILE

Estate owned by: Sandra Tavares da Silva  
and Jorge Serôdio Borges  
Winemaker: Sandra Tavares da Silva and  
Jorge Serôdio Borges  
Total acreage under vine: 45  
Estate founded: 2001  
Winery production: 4,500 Bottles  
Region: DOC Douro  
Country: Portugal

## Wine & Soul Guru 2018

### WINE DESCRIPTION

Guru is produced from a 50-year-old field blend of the indigenous white varieties Viosinho, Rabigato, Codega do Larinho, and Gouveio. Fermented and aged in new French oak for seven months, this wine features great complexity, minerality, and freshness.

It's a 57 years old vineyards with a field blend of Viosinho, Rabigato, Códaga do Larinho and Gouveio. Schist and granitic soils.

The harvest was planned for the second week of September in perfect weather conditions. All grapes previously selected and de-stemmed were pressed in a pneumatic press and fermented on 15% new French oak barrels at low temperatures during 4 weeks, after which was aged for 6 months with battonage.

### TASTING NOTES

An elegant wine exhibiting grapefruit and mineral aromas and flavors warmed by oak contact. Refreshing, with a fine balance and long finish.

### VINEYARD & PRODUCTION INFO

Production area/appellation:	Douro DOC
Vineyard name:	The Murça vineyard
Vineyard size:	7.5
Soil composition:	Schist
Training method:	Bush
Elevation:	1,650 feet
Vines/acre:	2,000
Yield/acre:	1.6 tons
Exposure:	Northern
Year vineyard planted:	1960
Harvest time:	August
First vintage of this wine:	2004
Bottles produced of this wine:	4,500

### WINEMAKING & AGING

Varietal composition:	25% Viosinho, 25% Rabigato, 25% Codega do Larinho and 25% Gouveio
Fermentation container:	Barriques
Length of alcoholic fermentation:	15 days
Fermentation temperature:	59 °F
Type of aging container:	Barriques
Size of aging container:	225 L
Age of aging container:	New
Type of oak:	French oak
Length of aging before bottling:	7 months

### ANALYTICAL DATA

Alcohol:	12.5%
pH level:	3.21
Residual sugar:	0.6 g/L
Acidity:	6 g/L
Dry extract:	18.5 g/L